

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

TRIMBLE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT	)	
NO. 1'S APPLICATION TO ESTABLISH	)	CASE NO. 97-391
CERTAIN NON-RECURRING CHARGES	)	

O R D E R

On September 18, 1997, Trimble County Water District No. 1 ("Trimble County") applied to the Commission for authority to establish the following non-recurring charges:

Average metered service connection	\$525.00
Returned check fee	15.00
Disconnect/reconnect fee	35.00
Customer deposit	75.00

After reviewing the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the proposed charges are equal to the expenses incurred to provide the associated services and should be approved with the exception of the customer deposit. In the cost justification for the proposed customer deposit of \$75, Trimble County included one hour of labor at \$17 and \$8 for clerical and office supplies. In accordance with 807 KAR 5:006, Section 7(1)(a)(b), a customer deposit may not exceed 2/12 of an average customer bill. Based on Trimble County's current rates, the Commission finds a deposit of \$42 is reasonable.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:


1. Trimble County's proposed non-recurring charges are hereby approved with the exception of the customer deposit.
2. Trimble County's proposed customer deposit is denied.

3. The charges set out in the Appendix, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are approved for services rendered on and after the date of this Order.

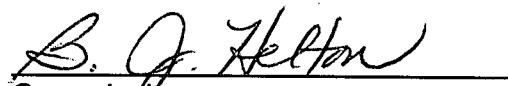
4. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, Trimble County shall file its revised tariff sheets setting out the charges approved in this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 28th day of October, 1997.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
Chairman

  
Vice Chairman

  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

## APPENDIX

### APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 97-391 DATED OCTOBER 28, 1997

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Trimble County Water District No. 1. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

#### Non-Recurring Charges

Average metered service connection	\$525.00
Returned check fee	15.00
Disconnect/reconnect fee	35.00
Customer deposit	42.00